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TITLE: ACIDIC POLISHING SLURRY
FOR THE CHEMICAL-MECHANICAL POLISHING OF SIO2
ISOLATION LAYERS

## <u>AMENDMENT</u>

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sirs:

This is in response to the Office Action dated July 20, 2005. Please amend the application as follows. A separate Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal is being submitted simultaneously herewith.

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